

WHAT RICHMOND SPENT IN 1910

Nearly Three Million Dollars Paid Out by Committees and Boards.

Appropriations from current funds made by the Council of the city of Richmond during the year 1910, according to a report submitted to the Common Council by City Auditor Warren last night, reached the grand total of \$2,855,095.16, of which \$2,425,814.92 has already been expended, while balances on all funds, much of which is due for work under contract, but not yet completed, amount to \$429,280.24, and certain funds are overdrawn according to the report \$3,531.78.

Besides expenditures from current funds there have been available during the year from all sources \$1,253,067.21; that between them they have paid out a grand total of \$2,933,578.82, and carry forward a balance unexpended of \$1,362,723.17, with drawn accounts amounting to \$2,534.78.

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DEMOCRATS NAME DOWD AS SPEAKER

No Opposition to Nomination. Pharr Chosen as President Pro Tem. of Senate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Raleigh, N. C., January 3.—W. C. Dowd, of Mecklenburg, was chosen to-night by acclamation the caucus of Democratic members of the House as the Democratic nominee for Speaker, which means that he will receive the unanimous vote of the 103 Democratic members of the House to-morrow.

There has been a strenuous contest between Dowd and Koonce during the day, in campaigning among members, but it became known nearly in the evening, before the caucus assembled, that Koonce had withdrawn and Dowd would have no opposition.

Mr. Dowd appealed for co-operation in making this session historic in its fostering care of the educational, industrial and agricultural interest.

G. T. Cobb was re-elected principal clerk.

Senator H. N. Parr, of Mecklenburg, was chosen as the party nominee for president pro tem. of the Senate at the caucus of the Democratic Senators to-night.

The caucus was called to order by Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Newland, and Senator Bassett, of Edgecombe, was made permanent chairman. For president pro tem. the name of Senator J. L. Barham, of Wayne, was presented by Senator Barnes, of Hertford, and was seconded by Senator Greene, of Craven. Senator Graham, of Orange, nominated Senator Pharr, of Mecklenburg, Senator Hartsell, of Cabarrus, seconding. Senator Long, of Iredell, placed in nomination Senator T. T. Thorne, of Nash.

The first ballot resulted: Barham, 13; Thorne, 13; Pharr, 12.

Second ballot—Barham, 13; Thorne, 10; Pharr, 15.

Third ballot—Barham, 12; Thorne, 9; Pharr, 17.

Fourth ballot—Barham, 13; Thorne, 4; Pharr, 29.

Senator Pharr was declared the Democratic nominee for president pro tem.

Senator Martin, of Buncombe, placed in nomination Otis Self, of Jackson, for principal clerk. Senator J. J. Wake, placed before the caucus the name of W. E. Brock, of Anson. Senator Pharr, of Mecklenburg, seconded the nomination of Mr. Self, and on the first ballot he won, receiving twenty-one votes of the forty cast.

Senator Gardner, of Cleveland, nominated Mark Squires, of Caldwell, for reading clerk, and there being no opposition he was declared the nominee by acclamation.

Others chosen were W. E. Hooks, for engrossing clerk; for sergeant-at-arms, R. M. Stanley, of Wilkes.

The names of seven men were placed in nomination for assistant sergeant-at-arms, as follows: Nicholas Deboy, of Wake; J. M. Oliver, of Caswell; J. R. Winchester, of Mecklenburg; W. G. Hall, of Cumberland; Thomas H. Hall, of Moore; Allen Dougherty, of Sampson; and W. H. Hill, of Franklin. It required eight ballots, W. G. Hall, of Cumberland, winning out on that ballot by receiving twenty-two of the thirty-nine votes cast.

The caucus adjourned at 10:20 o'clock.

Portion of Human Remains From Maine Wreck Dug Up by Dredge.

Halifax, January 3.—Parts of the human remains from the wreck of the old battleship Maine were brought to the surface to-day by a dredge. The remains, apparently bones and some small bones, were carefully placed in a special receptacle to await recovery of other parts.

The dredge also brought up some three-inch shells, a large quantity of coal, and a portion of the coal bunk, which was found to be intact. It is considered a confirmation of the theory of an external explosion under the bunkers. This, however, cannot be verified until a further examination of the wreck. The work on the hulk is continuing without interruption.

REMEDY FOR PANICS.

Director of Bank in Berlin Discusses Conditions in Trade to-night.

Berlin, January 3.—At the annual dinner of the American Association of Commerce, to-night, Arthur Von Gwynner, director of the Deutsche Bank in Berlin, discussing American financial panics, said the remedy was a central bank, whose system of note circulation had been adopted by every organization. He said the bank should contain guarantees in its constitution against its becoming the plaything of politicians or being used in the interest of any particular group of men for promoting speculation.

With reference to trade and financial relations between the two countries, he said these were growing more intimate every year.

German dealings in American securities had been reached a long way equal to the German-American trade movement.

Edward S. Lacey, an American banker and former Controller of the Currency, described American business conditions as being on a sounder basis than ever. He expected a revival of commercial and industrial activity during the course of the year.

MINING TOWN CAPTURED.

Federal Soldiers Take Batopilas From Revolutionists.

Mexico City, January 3.—Delayed official telegrams reached Mexico City to-night telling of the capture by the Federal troops of the town of Batopilas, state of Chihuahua, on Sunday. The town is an important mining centre, and had been in the hands of the revolutionists for several weeks.

The report stated that the Jefe Político, who had been installed by the revolutionists, was captured.

According to the report, other officials put in office by the rebels were taken prisoner.

No statement is made of the number killed and wounded, and officials here believe that there were no casualties.

NOTED OUTLAW CAUGHT.

"Bad" Jake Noble Under Arrest at Williamsburg, Va.

Jackson, Ky., January 3.—"Bad" Jake Noble is under arrest at Williamsburg, Va., after a telegram received by Sheriff Hudson to-day. The telegram conveyed the impression that there is no doubt that the man under arrest is the Breathitt county outlaw. Noble is credited with having killed three other persons besides Jaffer Westley Turner, because of the murder of whom he became a fugitive several weeks ago.

Noble was captured by Sheriff Hudson or a deputy who will leave to-morrow for Williamsburg.

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VESSEL WRECKED ON ROCKS

Toxated on Beach During Heavy Fog Over Long Island Sound.

Woods Hole, Mass., January 3.—The eastbound steamer Kennebec, owned by the Chesapeake Steamship Company, of Boston, lies to-day among the boulders on the south side of Pasquo Island, halfway in Vineyard Sound but exposed to the full force of a westerly gale.

The Kennebec was nosing her way up the sound through the fog yesterday afternoon, bound from Baltimore to Boston with soft coal, when the dangerous currents clutched her and more her on to the beach, shattering rocks ripping out many square feet of her iron bottom and flooding all her forward compartments.

The accident occurred nearly abreast of the Pasquo Island Club, about a mile to the eastward of the entrance to Quicks Hole, which is the passage between Pasquo and Nashawena Islands.

CAR WRECKS AMBULANCE

Patient in Vehicle Aids in Rescuing Attendants.

New York, January 3.—A Fordham Hospital ambulance, containing a patient, two surgeons and a policeman, was struck by a cross-town car in the Bronx early to-day.

The policeman and both doctors were seriously hurt, but the patient, who had just made a nearly successful attempt at suicide with a revolver, was uninjured. He expertly aided a policeman in his three attendants from the wreck of the vehicle. The motorman of the trolley car and six of his twelve passengers were seriously hurt. Both of the ambulance horses were killed.

Slippery tracks are blamed for the accident.

Clapp's Election Assured.

St. Paul, Minn., January 3.—At a caucus of Republican members of the State Legislature to-night, Senator Moses E. Clapp was unanimously endorsed as his party's candidate to succeed himself in the United States Senate. This action insures Clapp's re-election.

Charged With Embezzlement.

New Orleans, La., January 3.—Bernard L. Kearney, a former employee of the United States postal service at San Pablo, canal zone, was arrested here to-day on board the steamer Atenas, charged with embezzlement. Kearney left the canal zone several days ago with an alleged shortage of \$1,500 in his accounts. He attributed his downfall to gambling, and said he

Corey Leaves Steel Trust

Gary Announces His Resignation as President—May Have No Successor.

New York, January 3.—William E. Corey, for seven years president of the United States Steel Corporation, resigned to-day, and it is likely that he will have no successor. His resignation was announced late yesterday afternoon by Elbert G. Gary, chairman of the finance committee of the corporation, to take effect at the pleasure of the directors. He carried with him the best wishes of all connected with the corporation, says the statement issued, and leaves with feelings of loyalty to and friendship for the corporation and all its interests, but nothing is said of his plans for the future.

"It is the present opinion of the members of the finance committee that there should not be elected a successor as president in the immediate future. If at all. The experience and talents of Mr. Corey have best fitted him to take charge of the commercial and manufacturing departments, and his attention has been largely confined to that service. However, as the manufacturing companies are all thoroughly equipped with the very best talent, including such as the above mentioned branches need, the strength of the organization will be divided among the finance committee may recommend the

Reorganization and Consolidation

It is our pleasure to inform the good people of Richmond and Vicinity that the Business formerly conducted by George W. Woodall at 7 E. Broad St., Richmond, Va., and that conducted by Quarles & Wheatfield at 3rd and Broad Sts. the same city, has been consolidated. The Stock of Quarles & Wheatfield will be moved to 7 E. Broad St. at once.

The Store will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday January 3rd and 4th, to arrange for such a trade and price upheaval as has not occurred before.

The future announcements of our concern will be full of interest and money saving for you.

Yours very truly

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AT GEORGIAN COURT

Mrs. A. J. Drexel, Jr., and her sister, Miss Vivien Gould, taken at their home, Lakewood, N. J.

Little Rock, Ark., January 3.—Property comprising an entire business block, and valued at \$1,000,000, was destroyed here to-day by a fire which originated in the Hollenbus Musical Company's building. Two paintings, valued at \$60,000—"The Wagonsmith" and "Census de Milo"—also were destroyed.

The business houses destroyed are the Hollenbus Musical Company, Jones & Furnish Company, Jackson-Hanley Furniture Company, J. Bracy Hardware Company, Askin & Shreve, clothing store, Lord Arms Company, J. H. Martin Arms Company and the Arkansas Water Company.

The burned buildings were owned by Governor Donaghy and others.

ASKS FOR COMMISSION

Banker Robin's Sister Wants His Men-in-Competency Passed On.

New York, January 3.—Dr. Louise E. Robinovich, to-day filed a petition praying for the appointment of a commission to pass upon the mental competency of Joseph G. Robin, her brother, who is under indictment charged with the loss of \$200,000 from the Washington Savings Bank, of which he was president.

On hearing on the petition is set for Thursday.

Dr. Robinovich, in her petition, describes her brother as a mental incompetent, and details instances of his alleged behavior during the last ten years.